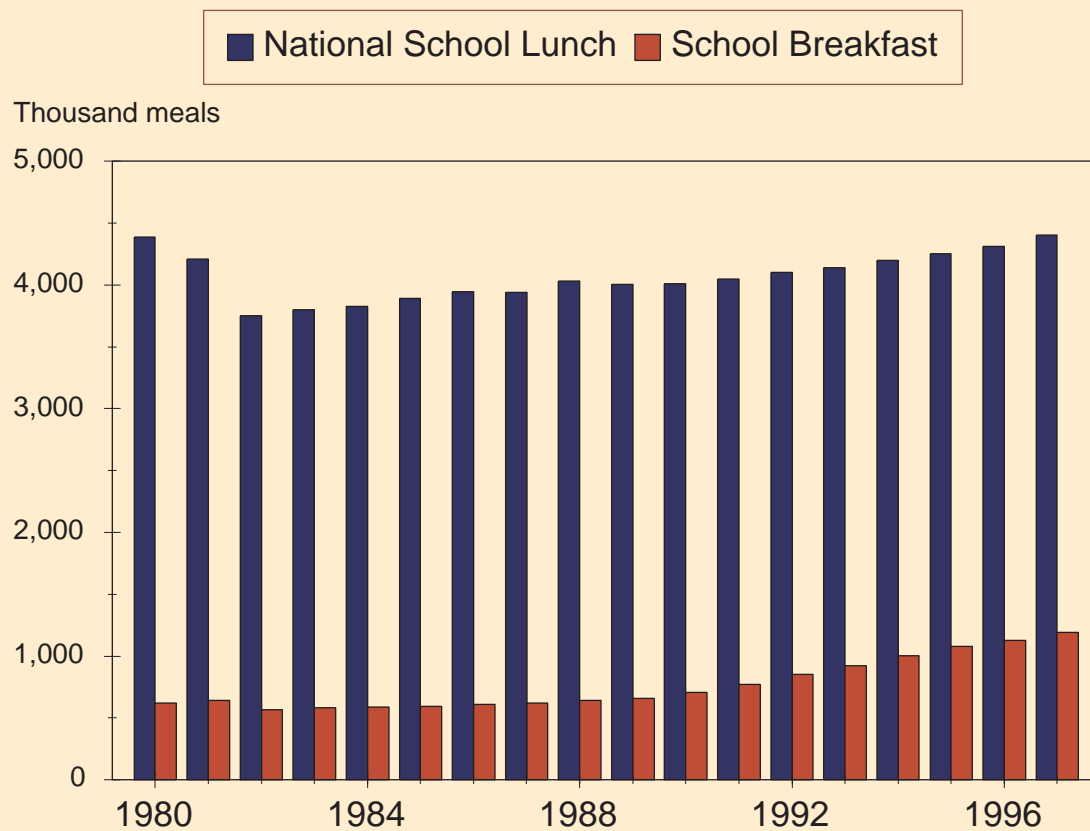


FIGURE 5

Meals Served in the National School Lunch and the School Breakfast Programs, fiscal 1980-97

Expansion of the School Breakfast program continued in fiscal 1997



Source: USDA Food and Nutrition Service.



TABLE 5. Meals served in the National School Lunch Program and the School Breakfast Program, fiscal 1980-97

Fiscal year	National School Lunch	School Breakfast
<i>Meals served (thousands)</i>		
1980	4,387	620
1981	4,211	644
1982	3,755	567
1983	3,803	581
1984	3,826	589
1985	3,890	595
1986	3,943	611
1987	3,940	622
1988	4,033	643
1989	4,005	658
1990	4,009	708
1991	4,051	772
1992	4,102	853
1993	4,138	924
1994	4,202	1,002
1995	4,253	1,079
1996 ¹	4,313	1,126
1997 ¹	4,406	1,190

¹Preliminary data.

Source: USDA, Food and Nutrition Service.